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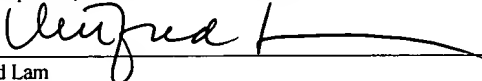
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT, which filed with an accompanying REQUEST FOR CONTINUED PROSECUTION, is responsive to FINAL OFFICE ACTION from the Examiner mailed February 12, 2004, in which the Examiner set the period for reply to expire three months after the mailing date of the FINAL OFFICE ACTION.

This PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT and the accompanying REQUEST FOR CONTINUED PROSECUTION are filed within six months of the mailing date of the FINAL OFFICE ACTION.

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Three Month Extension - Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), the Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action. This extension will extend the response due date to August 12, 2004.

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### AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action of February 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.